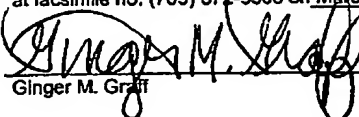


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**AMENDMENT, PETITION AND FEE TO DELETE
AN ORIGINALLY NAMED INVENTOR
(37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a))**

1. This amendment and petition is to:

(check each applicable item)

☒ correct the incorrect original naming of inventor(s) in the declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a) as set forth and filed on August 2, 1999.

2. Addition and/or Deletion of Inventor(s)

(check and complete all applicable items)

☐ Add the following previously unnamed person(s) as inventor(s) of this application:

☒ Delete the following previously incorrectly named inventor(s):

Robert G. Sokalski

3. Attachments

Attached is:

(a) A statement from:

(check items below that apply)

☐ each person being added as an inventor that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on his or her part. 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(1).

☒ each person being deleted as an inventor that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on his or her part. 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(1).

(b) a declaration by each of the actual inventor(s) as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.63.

(c) written assent of the assignee under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b).

4. Fee Payment (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i))

The fee required is paid as follows:

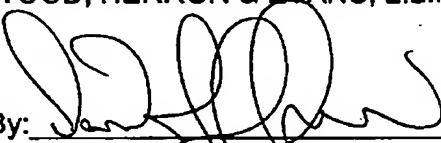
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☒ Charge Account 23-2000 for any fee deficiency.

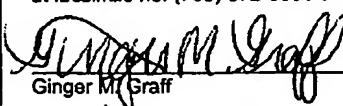
☒ Charge Account 23-3000 the sum of \$130.00.

Respectfully submitted,

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STATEMENT OF ROBERT G. SOKALSKI

I, Robert G. Sokalski, hereby state that the error in stating myself as a joint inventor in the above-referenced patent application occurred without any deceptive intention on my part.

Date: March 21, 2005
Robert G. Sokalski

Attorney Docket No. KPF/30CD1**DECLARATION, POWER OF ATTORNEY, AND PETITION**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

TIMER

the specification of which (check one below):

- ☐ is attached hereto.
- ☒ was filed on October 17, 2003 as Application Serial No. 10/687,888 or Express Mail No. ___, and was amended on ___ (if applicable).
- ☐ was filed on ___ as PCT International Application No. ___, and as amended under PCT Article 19 on ___ (if any).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)

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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 and/or §119(e) of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56, which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

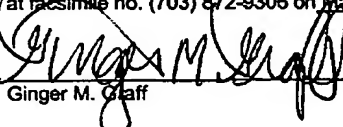
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I hereby appoint the practitioners associated with the customer number 26,875, as my attorneys or agents, with full power of substitute and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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**CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE TO CHANGE OF INVENTORSHIP
IN PATENT APPLICATION (37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(5))**

France/Scott Fetzer Co., owner by assignment of the above patent application,

- ☐ in the assignment recorded concurrently herewith,
☒ in the assignment recorded in the PTO on September 13, 1999.

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hereby consents to the amendment of the inventorship of this patent application as requested

- ☒ in the accompanying papers.
☐ in the papers mailed to the PTO on _____.

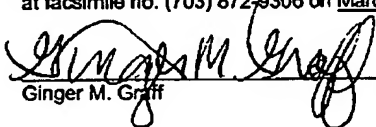
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[X] Attached is a "CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b)," establishing the right of the assignee to take action in this case.

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**CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) -
ESTABLISHING RIGHT OF ASSIGNEE TO TAKE ACTION**

1. The assignee(s) of the entire right, title and interest hereby seek(s) to take action in the PTO in this matter.

IDENTIFICATION OF ASSIGNEE

2. France/Scott Fetzer Co.
(Name of assignee)
Corporation
(Type of assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

PERSON AUTHORIZED TO SIGN

3. Patricia M. Scanlon
(Type name of person authorized to sign on behalf of assignee)

Vice President
(Title of person authorized to sign)

- ☒ I, Patricia M. Scanlon, state that I am empowered to sign this statement on behalf of assignee.

BASIS OF ASSIGNEE'S INTEREST

Ownership by the assignee is established as follows:


1. ☒ An assignment from the inventor(s) of the matter identified above, which was recorded in the PTO at Reel 010224 Frame 0707.
2. ☐ An assignment (document) separately being submitted for recordal herewith.

AND/OR

- ☐ A chain of title from the inventor(s) to the current assignee as shown below:
1. From: _____
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 2. From: _____
To: _____
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- ☐ Additional documents in the chain of title are listed in the attached Supplemental Sheet.

France/Scott Fetzer Co.

Date: _____


Patricia M. Scanlon